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To Bonita Lavelle/EPR/R8/USEPA/US@EPA, "LaCerra,
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Subject RE: Libby OU3 Bark Samples

Bonnie,

Attached please find EMSL's letter providing the information you requested. We have not shipped the samples to Beltsville yet, and we will wait for your authorization to do so.

Thank you,
Rob

-----Original Message-----

From: Lavelle.Bonita@epamail.epa.gov
[mailto:Lavelle.Bonita@epamail.epa.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 6:50 PM
To: LaCerra, Charles
Cc: Cahill, Ed; Centifonti, Joe; Kirkland, Patty; DeMalo, Robert;
Marriam, Robert R.
Subject: RE: Libby OU3 Bark Samples

Thanks for the information Charles.

I'm going to proceed with making arrangements to have the EMSL lab in Beltsville audited. However, the timing of the audit is very uncertain. While EPA wishes to have laboratory audits done before samples from Libby are analyzed by labs, in the interest of moving the OU3 project along, I'm approving your request to have the OU3 tree bark samples analyzed by the senior TEM ISO analyst at that location, provided that you send me documentation that the analyst has been through the Libby analytical training program. From our conversation last week, I understand you are familiar with the information we're looking for. Please provide it before samples are sent to the Beltsville lab.

I'm still hopeful that EPA can arrange to have the audit coincide with the period during which OU3 samples will be analyzed. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,

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RE: Libby OU3 Bark Samples

Bonnie: The point of contact at our Beltsville, MD lab is Joe Centifonti, the Asbestos Lab Manager. The address and phone number follow:

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Beltsville, MD 20705
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Charles LaCerra, EMSL Analytical, Inc.

-----Original Message-----

From: Lavelle.Bonita@epamail.epa.gov
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Sent: Thursday, December 13, 2007 6:55 PM
To: LaCerra, Charles
Cc: Marriam, Robert R.; DeMalo, Robert
Subject: Re: Libby OU3 Bark Samples

Charles,

I've started the paperwork to get an audit performed at EMSL's Beltsville laboratory. Can you provide the address of the lab and a point of contact and phone number please?

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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